

## Plan Implementation Summary: January-December 1999

(Plan elements completed prior to January 1999 are listed in the previous Site Science Mission Plans for January-June 1999 and July-December 1998.)

Plan Element	Progress: January-June 1999	Planned: July-December 99
<b>Needs Assessment</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continue discussion with Manus and Nauru education departments.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Initiate discussion with educators at the third TWP site after site selection.</li> </ul>
<b>Curriculum Development</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete</li> </ul>	
<b>Curriculum Implementation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2 curriculum workshops in Port Moresby and Manus, PNG in May 1999.</li> <li>Complete curriculum implementation plan for 1999-2000; begin implementation.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Draft and complete NTF (Flinders Univ.) contract for workshop.</li> <li>Complete implementation plan w/ NTF and SPREP 10/30/99.</li> <li>Publish curriculum on Web: curriculum activities by 9/30/99; full publication by 12/30/99.</li> <li>Curriculum workshops planned for 12/99 and 7/00.</li> </ul>
<b>SPaRCE</b> (Schools Of The Pacific Rainfall Climate Experiment)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Support SPaRCE program with small funding grant from 1994 to present.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SPaRCE participation in curriculum implementation workshops planned for FY99.</li> </ul>
<b>Newsletters</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Drafted Issue #1 1/15/98.</li> <li>Issue #1 distributed 4/1/99.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Issue #2 drafted 9/15/99.</li> <li>Issues to be shipped for distribution at each location 3 times/yr (15 Mar, 15 Jul, and 15 Nov).</li> </ul>
<b>Material Support</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Book shipment (donated books from the TWP team) to Manus 3/5/99.</li> </ul>	
<b>Teacher Training</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>See implementation workshops.</li> </ul>
<b>ARM Resources</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continued TWP site tours.</li> <li>Trained Nauru Observers to conduct site tours.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Education management meeting w/ SPREP 9/27/99.</li> </ul>
<b>Public Relations</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conducted TV/radio interviews in Nauru during Nauru99 IOP.</li> <li>Sent PR packages to PNG NWS Head Office 3/15/99.</li> <li>Completed Nauru99 Fact Sheet; distributed in Nauru April 99.</li> <li>Provided PR support to ARM during Nauru99 (June/July 1999).</li> <li>Video filming for an ARM/TWP introduction video during RESET, site evaluation trips, and Nauru99.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ARM/TWP introduction video is being produced by Tradewind Communications, a New Zealand-base media company. The date of release is TBA.</li> </ul>
<b>Technical Training</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Trained Observers on Manus to operate Hydrogen Generator June 1999.</li> <li>Further training of Nauru Observers on Hydrogen Generator operations.</li> <li>Overall review and revision of Manus and Nauru staff training plans April 1999.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Management training for Officer in Charge, Manus on hold pending PNG NWS restructure.</li> <li>Plan WMO training for Nauru Observer #2.</li> <li>Periodic hands-on technical refresher training for Manus and Nauru Observers.</li> <li>Additional computer training for Manus Observers.</li> </ul>